

IN THE LIMELIGHT

IN CHARGE AT WEST POINT



Maj. Gen. Thomas H. Barry, U. S. A., who has become superintendent of the United States Military Academy at West Point, is what Supreme Court Justice O'Gorman recently termed "a typical product of New York city." He was born and reared in the old First ward, and there are now in New York men who will tell you that "Tom" Barry was the handsomest boy in the old ward, and that when he came back from West Point on furlough the younger boys went to point him out as their hero.

General Barry was one of the popular cadets during the four years he was at the academy. As an athlete he stood in the front rank, and he stood high as a student. In June, 1877, he received his diploma, and as a second lieutenant was assigned to the famous Seventh cavalry, Custer's.

After three years in the Seventh General Barry was transferred to the Infantry arm and assigned to the First Infantry as a first lieutenant. Two years later he was promoted captain, and after that passing through every grade until in August, 1903, President Roosevelt made him a brigadier general. In April, 1908, the same president promoted him to his present rank, the highest under the present law that an army officer can attain.

General Barry as superintendent at West Point is the second officer of his rank to hold that post since West Point was founded. The other was Lieut. Gen. John M. Schofield, who was a major general when appointed superintendent in 1876.

No officer in the army has a finer record than General Barry. In the Spanish war he was an adjutant general, and after the close of that war he saw hard service in the Philippines. When the Cuban government failed to make good several years ago, with the result that the Americans had to reoccupy the island, General Barry was designated by President Roosevelt as commander-in-chief of the Army of Cuban Pacification, as it was known, and in that capacity he did his work so thoroughly that when the island was for a second time turned back to its own people to rule General Barry was accorded when he left an ovation such as few officers have ever received at home or abroad.

FEDERAL CHIEF OF MINES



In the appointment of Dr. Joseph A. Holmes to be director of the new bureau of mines it is conceded in Washington that probably the best equipped man for the position in the United States has been gained for this important post.

Ever since congress passed the bill creating the bureau and giving it authority to investigate mine disasters, make experiments and suggest means whereby accidents may be decreased and the yearly casualty list shortened, efforts have been made by hundreds of interested persons to have Dr. Holmes selected as chief. The endorsement of all the coal operators' associations has been given, every prominent mining engineer in the country, including John Hays Hammond, has made his plea for Dr. Holmes, and the miners union has added its efforts in his cause.

Three great delegations visited Washington early in the summer to urge the appointment, the managers of sixty collieries joined in the laudatory chorus, and sixty-two senators put their names to a petition in his behalf.

All this recognition was won by Dr. Holmes while serving as chief technologist of the technological branch of the geological survey. In this capacity he was carrying on in a minor way the work which he now will develop to the fullest extent.

While the operations of the technological bureau have not been wide spread, because of lack of funds and authority, still the men under Dr. Holmes were able to diminish mine disasters. They personally saved the lives of many imprisoned miners by going to their rescue in the face of dangers which would have meant death to less experienced men with poorer equipment.

The work of making mines safe has occupied the attention of Dr. Holmes for years, and he has made rapid advancement in the finding of effective means to the end which he has sought. He gained the confidence of labor and capital, and it is well known here that his subordinates are loyal to the chief.

WOMAN WHO COST A MILLION



The series of exquisite gowns worn by Mrs. William B. Leeds of New York, Newport and London, has been the feature of the season at the ultra-fashionable watering place of Deauville, France. She is reported as having had great social success and has given a succession of delightful entertainments. Mrs. William B. Leeds, it will be remembered, is the woman who cost her husband one million dollars, and who refused the importunities of royal and noble suitors who were after her fortune, estimated at thirty times that amount.

Her maiden name was Nannie Stewart. She was the daughter of a wealthy Cleveland banker and was said to be the handsomest girl in Ohio. She married George E. Worthington. They disagreed, and Leeds, also married, became infatuated with her. It is said that Leeds paid his wife one million dollars for a divorce. Mrs. Worthington also secured a legal separation from her husband, and three days later the wedding took place.

Leeds made his new bride the present of jewelry worth over a million, a steam yacht, and a two million dollar palace in New York city. While on a visit to Paris, Leeds bought his wife a \$200,000 pearl necklace. She wore this on several occasions, had them unstrung and they were exported in a bag to the United States and entered at the custom house as loose pearls.

Then began her battle with the treasury, which has become celebrated. Customs authorities considered the action a subterfuge and demanded the 60 per cent. customary duty on a necklace. Mrs. Leeds insisted that they were dutiable at 11 per cent, as indiscriminate pearls and won the day and incidentally some \$50,000 which otherwise would have gone to the government.

TO HEAD THE GOULD FAMILY



One of the sons of the very rich who does not believe that his life should be given up to idleness and sports is Kingston Gould, the eldest of the seven children of George Jay Gould. Kingston is only twenty-three years old, but he knows a whole lot about his father's interests and, for that matter, about the interests of the entire Gould family. This is as it should be, for he is destined to take his father's place as the head of that multi-millionaire family. He is a well-educated man without evil habits and with a love for work. This week he left to join the rest of the Gould family in Europe. He would have gone with them last spring, but he felt that he wanted to familiarize himself with the Gould railroad system in the southwest. So instead of lolling about the various resorts of the old world he has been working early and late and has gone over every foot of the 9,000 miles of the system, meeting the managers, foremen and even the laborers and studying the conditions. There is hardly a mile of track in the whole system with which he is not familiar.

With the prospect for a continuation and increase in good times Mr. Gould says he is entirely satisfied. Conditions in the southwest are very promising. The only possible deterrent influence is a political one and he believes that will disappear after the fall elections.

OUT OF THE QUESTION.



Fred—I hear George and his wife never quarrel now.

Maud—No, you see they're one now, and it takes two to make a quarrel.

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Pierp's Appetite.

J. P. Morgan, Sr., was always a good trencherman in his youth and he has as good an appetite today as he ever had, not only for corned beef and cabbage—his favorite dish—but for other foods. If the Morgan, who dazzled the Teutons with his mathematics when he was a German university postgraduate student, had accepted the chair of mathematics offered to him by Heidelberg, instead of his Yankee corned beef and cabbage it might have been frankfurters and sauerkraut.—New York Press.

Foiled.

He was very bashful and she tried to make it easy for him. They were driving along the seashore and she became silent for a time. "What's the matter?" he asked. "Oh, I feel blue," she replied. "Nobody loves me and my hands are cold."

"You should not say that," was his word of consolation, "for God loves you, and your mother loves you, and you can sit on your hands."—Success Magazine.

True Independence.

You will always find those who think they know what is your duty better than you know it. It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinion; it is easy in solitude to live after our own; but the great man is he who, in the midst of the crowd, keeps, with perfect sweetness, the independence of solitude.—Emerson.

Could Wait.

"Why didn't you stay to ascertain how badly the man was injured?" demanded the judge.

"Why," explained the chauffeur, "I knew I could find out from the daily papers."

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A happily wedded matron is the principal of an odd incident, which one of her "dear" friends relates.

Before the matron's engagement to her present husband was announced, she met her "dear" friend on the street. The new matron was hurrying toward one of the large jewelry stores of the city.

"John gave me an engagement ring," she explained, without a shadow of embarrassment, "and I am going down to see how much it cost. You see, I got the jeweler's name off the box," and she hurried on.

The same friend said that another bit of information the matron got was the commercial standing of the prospective husband, which she secured by paying for a special report from a commercial agency.

Confusing.

Craig Biddle, at a dinner in Newport, was describing the changing odds on the Jeffries-Johnson fight at Reno.

"Eight to four and a half on Jeffries—nine to six the other way about—three to one and a quarter—it's rather confusing, isn't it?" he said. "In fact, it's almost as confusing as the two girls' talk about a secret."

"Mary," said the first girl, "told me that you had told her that secret I told you not to tell her."

"The nasty thing," said the other girl, "I told her not to tell you I told her."

"Well," said the first girl, "I told her I wouldn't tell you she told me—so don't tell her I did."

Beware the Dog!

A family moved from the city to a suburban locality and were told that they should get a watchdog to guard the premises at night. So they bought the largest dog that was for sale in the kennels of a neighboring dog fancier, who was a German. Shortly afterward the house was entered by burglars, who made a good haul, while the big dog slept. The man went to the dog fancier and told him about it.

"Well, vat you need now," said the dog merchant, "is a leadle dog to wake up the big dog."—Everybody's.

Remembering Each Other.

He sat on the sand at Atlantic City in a bathing suit. About ten feet away she was drawing pictures in the sand with a small brown forefinger. He noticed her complexion, her curves and the glint of gold in her hair. He wanted to speak, and yet—Finally he summoned courage and walked over to her.

"Didn't I talk with you for about five minutes two summers ago?" he asked.

"Two years ago," she said dreamily. "Two years ago—let me see—did I wear blue silk stockings?"

Artistic Temperament.

"I hear that your husband has gone to New York," said Mrs. Oldcastle.

"Yes," replied her hostess. "We found out one of them old masters we had in the gallery wasn't the real thing, and he's gone to see if he can't find something else about the right size to fit the place where it hung. Josiah is so artistic that he can't bear to see the gallery thrown out of proportion by having more pictures on one side than the other."—Ideas.

Taken at His Word.

"Since you are so busy today," said the urbane journalist, "will you kindly tell me when and where I can meet you for an interview?"

"Go to blazes!" exclaimed the irate politician.

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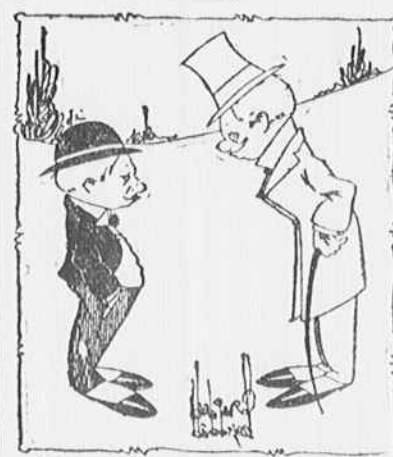
Tilly—Of course not, silly! It is like father when he had his picture taken.—Puck.

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IN THE SAME BOAT.



Jones—After preparing a long speech for the dinner the other night, I couldn't remember a word of it. Jaggsby—I couldn't remember any of mine the morning after.

A girl who sits and waits for a man to propose must feel a good deal like a cat that is watching a rat-hole.

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